### **REMARKS**

## Summary of the Office Action

Claims 11-10 and 41-60 stand rejected.

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Claims 1, 43, 44, 57, and 60 are amended.

### Remarks

The Office Action of August 22 cites *Tal* (U.S. Patent No. D416,001) as the primary reference for rejecting the pending claims. Applicant concedes that *Tal* shows a design that is one embodiment of the invention, since *Tal* and the present application share common assignee, and stem from common product lines. But as a design patent, *Tal* does not teach or show details in Applicant's invention.

One detail not taught by *Tal* is the midframe, and specifically, the midframe on which the slot is formed. For this reason, Applicant request reconsideration of the amended claims.

# **CONCLUSION**

Applicants respectfully submit that all pending claims are patentable over the art of record. Accordingly, a Notice of Allowance is requested by Applicants. Applicants urge the Examiner to telephone Applicants' attorney at (408) 551-6632 if any issues

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remain that preclude allowance of the application. The Office is given permission to charge any unpaid fees to Applicants' deposit account (50-1914).

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